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IN THE SPECIFICATION

1. Please replace the paragraph on page 8, beginning on line 9 with the following:

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The transmit antenna station may be a DIRECTV™ DVB system satellite uplink facility, for example, or any other earth station as described above and which is well known in the art. The bitstream 150 is a digital audio and video television data (A/V signal), the medium is a satellite 200, and the receive antenna 250 is preferably an outdoor unit (ODU). As illustrated in Figure 1, the ODU is connected to a set-top box (hereinafter STB) 300 via coaxial cable 275. In this exemplary embodiment, the DVR of the present invention is included in, or subsumed within the STB 300. STB 300 may further be connected to a display 370, such as a standard definition television, a high definition television or a PC monitor and also may be connected to a telephone line 375. The DVR-equipped STB 300 may be controlled via a remote control 400.

2. Please replace the paragraph on page 10, beginning on line 6 with the following:

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The host processor 310 may be constructed with conventional microprocessors ~~such as the currently available Pentium™ processors from Intel.~~ Host processor 310 performs non real-time functions in the STB 300, such as graphics-user interface and browser functions.